

GUATEMALA



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History of Partnership

The House Democracy Partnership (HDP) approved a legislative strengthening partnership with the Congress of the Republic of Guatemala in June 2017. The partnership began after an assessment was conducted by HDP in October 2016. The assessment found that conditions existed for an HDP partnership to support the Congress of Guatemala at a potentially pivotal and transformative time for democracy in Guatemala.



HDP Engagement with the Congress of the Republic of Guatemala

- **MP and Regional Seminars:** Members of the Congress of the Republic of Guatemala have participated in six MP or regional seminars that focused on anti-corruption, ethics, women's empowerment and combatting modern threats to democracy.
- **Staff Delegations and Technical Assistance Consultancies (TACs):** HDP has organized two TACs with the Congress of the Republic of Guatemala. Topics included legislative research, ethics, oversight, committee functions, constituent relations and outreach.

HDP Congressional Delegations (CODELs)

- HDP has organized two U.S. Congressional delegation visits to Guatemala.
 - November 2011
 - September 2017